

1946 SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION

CHICAGO COUNCIL
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



CAMP PERIODS AND RATES

CAMP BEARD

Rate: \$21.50 per period*

1st Period - July 1 to July 15
2nd Period - " 15 to " 29
3rd Period - " 29 to Aug. 12
4th Period - Aug. 12 to " 26

CAMP WEST

Rate: \$21.50 per period

1st Period - July 8 to July 22
2nd Period - " 22 to Aug. 5
3rd Period - Aug. 5 to " 19
4th Period - " 19 to " 31

CAMP WILDERNESS

Rate: \$17.00 per period

1st Period - July 9 to July 23
2nd Period - " 23 to Aug. 6
3rd Period - Aug. 6 to " 20
4th Period - " 20 to Sept. 1

CAMP STUART

Rate: \$21.50 per period

1st Period - July 2 to July 16
2nd Period - " 16 to " 30
3rd Period - " 30 to Aug. 13
4th Period - Aug. 13 to " 27

CAMP BELNAP

Rate: \$21.50 per period

1st Period - July 9 to July 23
2nd Period - July 23 to Aug. 6
3rd Period - Aug. 6 to " 20
4th Period - " 20 to Sept. 1

FAMILY CAMP

Rate: \$21.50 per period for Crystal Lake and \$15.00 for Belnap
Periods are concurrent with those of all other Camps in the system.

KIWANIS

Rate: \$5.75 per period, Monday morning thru Saturday morning)

1st Period - July 1 to July 6	5th Period - July 29 to Aug. 3
2nd Period - " 8 to " 13	6th Period - Aug. 5 to " 10
3rd Period - " 15 to " 20	7th Period - " 12 to " 17
4th Period - " 22 to " 27	8th Period - " 19 to " 24

* - Camp fee does not include transportation costs. Rebates for Scouts attending Camp in a Troop have been discontinued for 1946 to enable the Camps to meet increased costs of maintenance and operation.

I. RESERVATIONS

Troop camp reservations for Kiwanis and Owasippe will be accepted now. Use the enclosed Troop Reservation Card to indicate your anticipated Camp attendance and Camp preference. This reservation is tentative, and must be followed by payment of a \$2.00 reservation fee for each Scout. Such fee will be accepted between April 1 and April 15 only. Reservations will be filed in order of receipt. No additional or new reservations will be accepted after April 15!!!!

II. FINAL FEE PAYMENT

The final payment of the balance of the Camp fees must be completed at least one full month prior to the opening of the Camp period or reservation will automatically be cancelled and no refund allowed.

III. MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

Every Scout and Leader attending a Chicago Council Boy Scout Camp must have a medical examination within a three day period prior to the opening of the Camp period. Medical forms will be provided at the time of the final fee payment.

IV. TRANSPORTATION

Owasippe -- Scouts will travel to and from Camp in special Willett Motor Coaches. The round trip fare will be \$5.00.

Kiwanis --- Each Troop or individual Camper provides transportation to and from Camp Kiwanis which is located 1 and 3/4 miles south of Willow Springs, Illinois.

V. LEADERS' CAMP FEE

Free camping experience is offered to Scout Leaders attending Camp with eight or more Scouts. Leaders must be 21 years old or older, and Scoutmasters or Troop Committeemen are preferred. One leader is entitled to free camping for each eight Scouts in Camp, up to the limit of three Leaders for 24 or more Scouts. Leaders will get 1/8 fee credit for each Scout if less than eight are in Camp.

Camp Leaders are required to be in Camp for the entire period concurrent with the attendance of their Troops, and must provide their own transportation.

VI. KIWANIS SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships to Camp Kiwanis, which provide a partial or full fee, are available for Chicago Scouts who would otherwise not be able to attend Camp. Scoutmasters should file individual scholarship applications for each Scout. Applications can be obtained through the District Offices.

VII. CAMP PROMOTION FILMS

Assistance to Troop Leaders in the promotion of Camp attendance is a part of the Chicago Council service to the Institution. Several films showing the Chicago Scout Camps, the Philmont Scout Ranch and the Region Seven Canoe Base are available for use during Troop Meetings and Parents' Nites. Film can be secured through the Camping Service in the Chicago Council Office.

OTHER CAMP OPPORTUNITIES

PHILMONT - The camping opportunity of a lifetime is the proposed trip of Senior Scouts to the Philmont Scout Ranch, near Cimmaron, New Mexico. Rugged camping midst the wonders of the Rocky Mountains, with adult leadership trained and provided by the Chicago Council, is the dream of every Senior Scout. Reservations from July 1 to July 29, have been made for Chicago Scouts. Fee for full month, excluding transportation is \$50.00.

SCOUT LANDING - Closer to home, but offering a different camping experience is the trip to the Region Seven Scout Landing. From the main base on White Sand Lake, Wisconsin, Scouts will go on extended canoe trips, with real northwoods guides. An opportunity to put to actual test the Scouting skills of outdoor cooking, construction, and canoeing. Dates: August 12th to 22nd. Fee: Approximately \$30 to \$35, including transportation.

TROOP SITES - Camping at its best is camping with your own Troop, in your own site, with your own dining-hall and kitchen. To meet the demands of Chicago Troops which prefer Troop Camping, several sites have been set up at Owasippe - one each at Camps Beard, Stuart, and West. They will accommodate as many as 32 Scouts and Leaders. Meals can be secured from the local camp dining-hall or cooked by the Troop. "Hot-pack" carriers are provided to keep the food warm when it is taken from the camp kitchens.

Here, a Troop can conduct a complete camp program, including meal-time activities under its own leadership. An ideal arrangement for Troops of 24 to 32 Scouts. All facilities are provided and the site is near enough to the main camp that a Troop can join in general program features if it wants to.